

**REMARKS**

The claims are amended to remove improper multiple dependencies. Applicant respectfully requests examination of pending claims 1-23 in this application.

If there are any other fees due in connection with the filing of this preliminary amendment, please charge the fees to our Deposit Account No. 50-0573. If a fee is required for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 not accounted for above, such an extension is requested and the fee should also be charged to our Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,

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